

2012 Seattle City Council Green Sheet

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Budget Action Title: Do Pass C.B. 117321 - Department of Planning and Development Fee Ordinance.

Councilmembers: Budget Committee

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Council Bill or Resolution: C.B. 117321

Budget Committee Vote:

Date	Result	SB	BH	SC	TR	JG	NL	RC	TB	MO
11/10/2011	Pass 7- 2-Absent	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	-	-	Y	Y

Budget Action description:

This green sheet recommends passage of C.B. 117321, which would make various changes to the Department of Planning and Development's (DPD's) Fee Ordinance. Permit fees are designed for full cost recovery of DPD's regulatory function and would not increase General Fund revenue. Changes include, but are not limited to:

- Eliminating certain fees for licenses and examinations no longer required by the City, such as the air conditioner contractors license;
- Creating a new fee to cover plan review by the Parks Department; and
- Modifying the number of hours charged for some minimum fees, for example the minimum fee charged for Design Review would cover the first 20 hours of review instead of the first 10.

Passage of the bill will result in \$106,350 in additional annual revenue to the Planning and Development Operating Fund in 2012.